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#### REMARKS

Claims 67-96 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 101. Claims 67-96 have been provisionally rejected for statutory double patenting under 35 U.S.C. § 101. The claim amendments herein do not introduce new matter. For the reasons set forth below, applicants submit that this case is in condition for allowance.

#### **Interview Summary**

Applicants' undersigned representative, Mr. Eiferman, and Examiner Diane Mizrahi participated in a telephonic interview on September 4, 2007 to discuss the Section 101 rejections and the amendments herein. Examiner Mizrahi stated that the amendments herein appeared to overcome the rejections of record.

### Section 101 Rejections (other than double patenting rejection)

Claims 67-96 are computer-readable medium claims that have now been amended to recite a "computer-readable <u>storage</u> medium." Additionally, portions of the specification (e.g., ¶ 0037) which describe various signals have been deleted. In view of this amendment, applicants request that the section 101 rejection of claims 67-96 be withdrawn.

## Statutory Double Patenting Rejection Under Section 101

Claims 67-96 have been provisionally rejected for statutory double patenting under 35 U.S.C. § 101 with respect to claims 67-96 in Application No. 10/998,761. Claims 67-96 in Application No. 10/998,761have been cancelled by way of amendment filed July 19, 2007. Accordingly, Applicants request that the provisional double patenting rejection be withdrawn.

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# Conclusion

For all of the foregoing reasons, Applicants submit that this case is in condition for allowance.

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